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Commissioner for Patents
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Re: Our Ref.: SLRE.103540/01
United States Patent Appln. No. 10/677,708
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Title: Suppressing Plant Pathogens and Pests with Applied
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are the following documents:

- Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a);
- Reponse; and
- a self-addressed postal card to acknowledge receipt of the foregoing submissions.

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Respectfully submitted,

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